



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Nobuaki ARAI Art Unit: 2832
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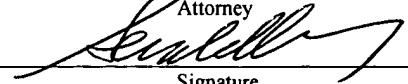
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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SIR:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of April 2, 2009, applicant elects the claims of Embodiment I (figure 1, claims 1-6) for continued prosecution in the above-identified application.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on June 1, 2009

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